

**Table 1. Seasonality of Move by Selected Characteristics**

(For movers who reported a valid month of move into current residence. Numbers in thousands)

Characteristic	Total movers, 15 years old and over	Percent			
		December - February	March - May	June - August	September - November
<b>Total</b>	172,496	18.8	22.6	32.0	26.6
<b>Age</b>					
15 to 24 years	27,629	17.9	21.7	34.4	26.0
25 to 34 years	35,476	19.6	23.7	30.7	26.0
35 to 44 years	38,314	18.8	22.8	31.6	26.8
45 to 54 years	28,249	19.1	22.4	31.8	26.8
55 to 64 years	17,823	18.5	21.6	32.6	27.3
65 years and older	25,005	18.8	22.7	31.5	27.1
<b>Marital status</b>					
Not married (never married, divorced, separated, and widowed)	70,070	18.7	22.6	32.4	26.4
Married (spouse present or absent)	102,426	18.9	22.6	31.7	26.8
<b>Presence of children under 18</b>					
No children under 18	102,289	18.6	22.6	32.1	26.7
Children under 18	70,207	19.1	22.6	31.8	26.5
<b>Race and Hispanic origin</b>					
White	146,673	18.4	22.8	32.1	26.7
Non-Hispanic	131,517	18.2	22.6	32.3	26.8
Black	18,090	21.2	21.3	31.0	26.5
Asian and Pacific Islander	6,019	21.9	22.4	30.8	24.9
Hispanic (of any race)	15,839	21.0	23.4	30.1	25.6
<b>Citizenship</b>					
Non-citizen	11,244	21.7	23.7	28.9	25.7
Citizen	161,252	18.6	22.5	32.2	26.7
<b>Education</b>					
Less than high school	35,209	20.2	22.1	31.4	26.3
High school graduate	51,550	18.3	22.6	31.4	27.7
Some college or Associate degree	48,879	18.8	23.1	31.6	26.4
Bachelor's degree or more	36,858	18.3	22.3	33.8	25.7
<b>Household income</b>					
Less than \$25,000	50,060	19.1	22.1	32.9	25.9
\$25,000 to \$49,999	57,266	19.5	22.3	31.5	26.7
\$50,000 to \$74,999	34,664	18.3	23.7	31.1	27.0
\$75,000 or more	30,505	17.6	22.8	32.3	27.2
<b>Current residence</b>					
Nonmetropolitan	34,430	18.2	22.8	31.5	27.5
Metropolitan	138,066	19.0	22.5	32.1	26.4
<b>Region</b>					
Northeast	33,350	18.2	21.4	33.1	27.3
Midwest	41,906	17.4	22.7	32.0	27.9
South	59,318	19.9	22.5	32.3	25.3
West	37,922	19.3	23.7	30.4	26.6
<b>Type of move</b>					
Same state, same county	118,647	18.8	23.3	31.3	26.6
Same state, different county	26,826	18.2	22.1	33.4	26.3
Different state	23,820	19.1	19.8	33.8	27.4
From abroad	3,203	23.9	21.6	30.8	23.7

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Survey of Income and Program Participation, 1996.

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